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## SERVICE FEE MEMORANDUM

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TO: Office of Vocational Rehabilitation

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Client Assistance Program (CAP)

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DATE: January 12, 2016

> Updated April 27, 2017 Pat Cruse Updated September 1, 2017

RE: Fee Schedule for CRP/ Pre-Employment Transition Services

Integrated Work Experience Program for Students

The Integrated Work Experience Program has been developed to provide students with disabilities integrated work experiences for a minimum of six weeks over the course of their final two years of high school prior to exiting the school system. The OVR Counselor will refer the student and ensure the CRP will have ample time to procure an individualized experience for the student based on the student's preferences while taking into account the current labor market trends in their area. We suggest the CRP is given no less than 8 weeks of planning time. The intent of the work experience is exploration and may entail multiple work experiences, internships, and job shadowing experiences. Completion of the program does not guarantee employment at any business participating in the program. In order to participate in the program the individual must all requirements to receive Pre-Employment Transition Services (Pre-ETS.)



The CRP referred for the integrated work experience program will meet with the student to determine the businesses and types of work that may be of interest to the student and secure a 6-week (10-hour minimum per week) program tailored to the expressed interests of the student. The "Work Experience" must be approved by the OVR counselor, prior to the start of the work experience. The student may participate in this program for two years only and may include the summer between their sophomore-junior years and the summer between their junior-senior years. Upon exiting high school/graduation the student will becomes ineligible for this program. The student should be paid a Maintenance stipend of a maximum of \$15.00 daily (or \$75.00 max per week for 6 weeks) for reimbursement of travel and work related expenses to include transportation, meals, and clothing. These will be paid bi-weekly, for up to 3 times in the 6-week program. If the student is unable to complete the entire program, the payment should be prorated at the \$15.00 per day.

CRP/Pre-Employment	FEE
Transition Services	
STUDENT MAINTENANCE STIPEND	
<ul> <li>Authorizations can be done bi-weekly</li> <li>\$15.00 per day, (up to 10 days biweekly or 5 days each week) for 2 weeks to totaling no more than \$150.00 for each bi-weekly authorization</li> </ul>	\$15.00 per day (2 weeks total max \$150.00 per authorization)
<ul> <li>There will be a maximum of three, bi-weekly authorizations for each participant's 6-week program.</li> <li>Payable upon receipt of a report to verify participation and progress</li> <li>Authorizations should be completed at the beginning of each 2-week time frame and processed at the end of the 2 week time frame based on the verification of daily participation.</li> <li>This is a pay authorization and therefore the consumer will need to be established as a vendor</li> </ul>	Exp. Cat 00B BUN 6791- (Pre-ETS)
CRP SERVICES	
Authorize 8 weeks prior to the expected start of the student's program Payable upon receipt of invoice and report Hourly rate is for the purpose of direct services	\$500 – First day of placement, one time per year.  CRP job coaching services - \$41 per hour, (per student with a limit of 2 students per site)  Limited to 60 hours total per year per student  Exp. Cat 00B  BUN 6791 (Pre-ETS)

Pre-ETS Expenditure codes

00A - Job Exploration Counseling

00B - Work-Based Learning Experiences

00C - Counseling on Enrollment Opportunities

00D - Workplace Readiness Training

00E - Instruction in Self-Advocacy



